



Arlington Open Space Committee

Date: April 25, 2024 Time: 7:30 PM

Location: Conducted by Remote Participation

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Agenda

1. Administrative
 - a. Approval of March 28, 2024 meeting minutes.
 - b. Budget: Printing costs.
 - c. Other Items.
2. Open Space and Recreation Plan (OSRP)
 - a. OSRP Implementation: Check-in on sub-groups.
 - b. On-going projects: Spring 2024: Eco-Fest 4/20-5/11/24, Urban Ecology Framework Workshop follow-up, Bird Walk at Res 5/4/24 8:30-10am, Garden Tour Sat. tentative 5/11 at Robbins Farm. June 2024: Orchard Event. Fall 2024: Ecology Summit, Outdoor programs, other outreach.
 - c. Letters of support: follow-up. State bills: Municipal Reforestation, Sewage Overflows (CSOs), Playground daycare use permitting.
 - d. Other items.
3. Updates from Liaisons
 - a. Department of Planning and Community Development.
 - b. Park and Recreation Commission.
 - c. Conservation Commission.
 - d. Department of Public Works.
 - e. Envision Arlington.
 - f. Arlington Redevelopment Board.
 - g. Other Committees.
4. Updates/Discussion
 - a. Town Meeting articles for 2024. Inland Wetland District (Art. 28), Reduced Height Buffers (Art. 29), Shaded Parking Lots (Art. 30), Step Backs & Setbacks (Art. 33)
 - b. Artificial Turf Report from Study Committee.
 - c. CPA FY23 updates: Mt. Gilboa, Robbins Farm Park.
 - d. CPA FY24 updates: Hill's Hill, Mill Brook/No Name Brook, Pond Lane, Foot of the Rocks, Invasives Report, Orchard Signage.
 - e. CPA FY 25 to Town Meeting: Public Land Management Plan, McClellan Park ponds, Menotomy Rocks Playground, Crosby courts, Bikeway/Ryder Street.
 - f. 40B Comprehensive Permit Projects: Thorndike Place, 1021 Mass Ave, Mirak.
 - g. Other Items.

2024 Meetings (4th Thursdays except Nov. and Dec.): May 23, Jun 27, Jul 25, Aug 22, Sep 26, Oct 24, Nov 14, Dec 12.